

## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB2808

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 5/225

Amends the Illinois Income Tax Act. Provides that the credit for instructional materials and supplies may not exceed \$500 (currently, \$250). Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Income Tax Act is amended by changing Section 225 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 5/225)

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- Sec. 225. Credit for instructional materials and supplies. 8 For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2017, a 9 taxpayer shall be allowed a credit in the amount paid by the taxpayer during the taxable year for instructional materials 10 11 and supplies with respect to classroom based instruction in a qualified school, or \$250, whichever is less, provided that the 12 13 taxpayer is a teacher, instructor, counselor, principal, or 14 aide in a qualified school for at least 900 hours during a school year. The amount of the credit may not exceed (i) \$250 15 for taxable years prior to January 1, 2019 or (ii) \$500 for 16 17 taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2019.
  - The credit may not be carried back and may not reduce the taxpayer's liability to less than zero. If the amount of the credit exceeds the tax liability for the year, the excess may be carried forward and applied to the tax liability of the 5 taxable years following the excess credit year. The tax credit shall be applied to the earliest year for which there is a tax

- 1 liability. If there are credits for more than one year that are
- 2 available to offset a liability, the earlier credit shall be
- 3 applied first.
- 4 For purposes of this Section, the term "materials and
- 5 supplies" means amounts paid for instructional materials or
- 6 supplies that are designated for classroom use in any qualified
- 7 school. For purposes of this Section, the term "qualified
- 8 school means a public school or non-public school located in
- 9 Illinois.
- 10 This Section is exempt from the provisions of Section 250.
- 11 (Source: P.A. 100-22, eff. 7-6-17.)
- 12 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 13 becoming law.